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In the Application of)

RAMESH LHILA, et al.)

for: HEAT-ACTIVATED ADHESIVE TAPE)
HAVING AN ACRYLIC FOAM-LIKE)
BACKING)

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Mail Stop AMENDMENT
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed February 2, 2004, the time for response extending to August 2, 2004 by the accompanying Three-Month Extension of Time, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration of the outstanding rejections in view of the following remarks.